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SILVA IS FIRST TO ADOPT NILES 'FACE-LIFTING'

The first owner of business property in Niles to co-ordinate the remodeling of a building with the general "face-lifting" plan being sponsored by the Niles Chamber of Commerce will be Judge J. A. Silva. Judge Silva this week told The Register that as soon as possible, probably this summer, he will put a new front on his Main street building occupied by the Crane Garage.

The new front will be of stucco in a Spanish style suggested by Architect Irwin Johnson of Oakland, who is designing a modernized Main Street for Niles. The building frontage is 75 feet.

When he first began to consider a style for the Niles business section, Architect Johnson was struck by the consistent and sound styling of Judge Silva's business properties, which include the buildings occupied by the Frick Plumbing Company, the post office, the Sanitary Dairy, Joe's Corner, Green's Shoe Shop, the Niles Clothing Center, and the Selective Service Board.

The "face-lifting" project has been adapted by Architect Johnson to harmonize with the town's better appearing business buildings, which fortunately are of fairly uniform style, and include as well as those mentioned, the Odd Fellows building, the Central Bank, the Ellsworth building, and the P. C. Hansen Lumber Co. building.

MISS EMERSON OF EARLY IRVINGTON FAMILY DIES HERE

Miss Louise Emerson, born in Irvington 79 years ago, died at her home in Irvington last Tuesday. She was the last of five daughters of James and Ann Emerson who settled in that community in 1853.

Miss Emerson was a true lover of nature and a very good, but modest artist. She followed both avocations simply as hobbies.

George I. Emerson and Ralph W. Emerson of Centerville, brothers of Miss Emerson, survive in the family of five daughters and two sons.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from the Chapel of the Palms in Centerville and interment was at the Chapel of the Chimes in Oakland.

ANY RAGS TODAY

If anyone in Irvington is wondering what to do with that growing pile of newspapers and magazines, the P.T.A. has a good answer.

At a meeting of the officers of the executive board of the organization in the grammar school last Wednesday, plans were made for the annual rag and paper drive. All funds derived from the sale of collected items will go to child welfare, according to Mrs. L. Hiller, P.T.A. president.

It will be a four-day drive, May 6 through May 9, with school children making the rounds with specially provided shopping bags.

If any of the bundles are too heavy for the children, people of Irvington are asked to please tie them up and phone Mrs. Hiller. She states that arrangements will be made for pickup.

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CENTERVILLE BOY WINS CONTEST

Winners in the Lions Club Boy Scout Exposition poster contest were announced by Fred Kiesel, chairman.

Grand prize winners for the sixth to eighth grade division were Joseph Bettencourt, Centerville Elementary school, first award; Beverly McEwin, San Lorenzo Village, second; and Rosalin Smith, San Lorenzo Village, third.

The posters will be used to publicize the Boy Scout Exposition, April 26 and 27, at the Burbank school, Hayward.

NILES SCHOOL BUS SERVICE TO START

The new school bus for the Niles Elementary school district will be in service within a week. The 50-passenger vehicle has been getting its finishing touches and will be delivered today or early next week by Romeo Brunelli, Centerville garage proprietor. Inspection will be made as soon as possible so that transportation of children to school will be available at the earliest possible date.

Principal E. Dixon Bristow states that three trips will be necessary in order to carry all the children living outside of walking distance. For the remainder of the present school term routing of the bus will be on an experimental schedule so that a definite schedule may be started next term.

Driver of the bus will be Glenn Sweeney, school instructor, with Principal Bristow serving as auxiliary driver.

JR. TRAFFIC SQUADS WILL BE REVIEWED ON U. C. CAMPUS

The traffic patrol boys in the elementary schools in the township are eagerly awaiting what will probably be a red-letter day in their young lives.

On May 4, the Junior Traffic Reserve Patrols from all over the Eastbay, including our own schools—Niles, Centerville, Irvington, Newark, Warm Springs, Decoto and Alviso—will meet at Hilgard Field on the University of California campus for a review by prominent men in the traffic field, and principals, and county school superintendent Vaughn Seide, among others.

After marching in review, the boys will take time out for lunch, and then will be escorted on a tour of the campus. Following that, they will attend the track meet between the College of the Pacific and Cal.

Boys from Centerville, Niles and Irvington schools will join forces and go up in a body in the Irvington school bus. They will, of course, be escorted by teachers.

MISSION FIREMEN LINE-UP NAMED

"They're shaping up like champions," said Manager Frank Mayer this week, referring to his Mission Firemen softball nine of the township league.

The club, according to Mayer, looks good in practice sessions—good enough to convince the manager that his firemen are going to make this season's race plenty hot.

This is the lineup: pitcher, Larry Rogers; catcher, Joe Rebello; first base, John Cardoza; second base, Theodore Garcia; third base, Eddie Azevedo; short-stop, Manuel Fontes; left field, Walt George; center field, Clarence Telles; right field, Al King; utility men, F. Rogers, L. Diester, Joe Azevedo, Alvin Santos and Dave Souza.

Most of the players were in the softball league before the war and are familiar to township fans. Speaking of Larry Rogers, Mayer stated: "The Army seems to have done him a lot of good, and he's better than he ever was."

A double-header non-league game with Al Souza's club from Oakland is scheduled for the Firemen at the Mission grammar school this Sunday.

NILES BARBER SHOP GETS SPRING CLEANING

Joe Perry's barber shop in Niles is getting a special kind of face lifting this week.

It's really a glistening paint job, and almost the whole of the shop will be in white.

Almost all, that is, except for the corners which will be painted in traditional barber pole colors.

RALPH RUNOLFSON, who has been home on a 60-day leave visiting his mother, has reported back to duty at Mare Island.

LOCAL AIRPORT LIFESAVER FOR NAVY PILOT

With engine sputtering and losing altitude rapidly, a Navy Hellcat pilot made an emergency landing at the Centerville airport Monday morning.

The engine trouble forced the pilot to make the landing downwind at about 120 miles per hour, according to Don Hubbard, manager of the airport. Hubbard, an eyewitness of the landing, states that even with its brakes on the plane streaked to a stop within a few feet of the fence at the end of the 2500-foot runway.

In short order a Gruman Widgeman was dispatched from his home station at the Alameda Navy Base, in answer to the pilot's radio call from the grounded plane. As navy planes shuttled parts and repair crew for the next two days, the wartime Hellcat, with its crowded, complicated cockpit, was a marked contrast from the stern simplicity of the new Aerocoupe based at the other end of the field.

The fortunate pilot took off in his repaired plane Wednesday morning. He circled and then zoomed the field as a final way of saying—in airmen's language—thanks.

RELIGIOUS CLASS WILL CONTINUE IN SCHOOLS HERE

Parents of Protestant children in the township will soon be given an opportunity to see at first hand what progress their children have made in the release time religious education classes that have been in session at Alvarado, Newark, Centerville, Irvington and Niles during the past year.

Mrs. J. I. Chandler, instructor, is making preparations for an "open house" program in each school which will include songs, music, and a question and answer period. This "open house" will be held on the last day of religious classes, prior to the close of school.

In discussing the religious program, Mrs. Chandler asserted: "The cooperation I have had from the schools has been remarkable. In each school the principals and teachers have been more than helpful in seeing that the children arrive at the class meeting place on time."

Mrs. Chandler is optimistic on the outlook for next year. She is sure that through the efforts of the committee, headed by Rev. E. A. Groves Jr., of Centerville, the classes will not only continue on through next year, but will be increased by adjusting certain difficulties that exist at present in some schools, mainly the difference in hours between the Catholic religious classes and the Protestant classes. An endeavor will be made in each school to have these coincide.

Mrs. Chandler pointed out that Irvington school is unique in having practically every child in the school in either the Protestant or Catholic religious classes. In Irvington, all the grades are included in the religious instruction, with Mrs. R. A. Griffin assisting Mrs. Chandler.

In Newark, too, Mrs. Chandler has a volunteer assistant, Mrs. Sam Scott, and the pupils from the third grade up receive the instruction.

In Alvarado, as in Irvington, all the grades receive the instruction. In Niles and Centerville, however, only the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades are included in the program.

BROTHER, CAN YOU SPARE ME 100 VOTES

QUEEN CONTESTANTS MAKE FIRST REPORT

"A bumper crop of apricots, queen contestants, floats, marching units, and dance groups, all point to a gay celebration at the Washington Township Apricot Festival," commented Gus Robertson, publicity chairman, this week.

The race for queen is off to a good start, according to Ed Rose, who made the rounds of the ticket headquarters in the township last Monday. He reports the following line-up for Queen after the first week's returns on sale of tickets by the contestants:

Dorothy Amaral and Ella Mae Hall, Irvington, tied with 5500 votes.

Betty J. Silva, Alvarado; Virginia Feliciano, Decoto; Betty Brandt, Centerville, next with 2,200 votes each.



MISS BEVERLY BENNETT, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fournier, past president of Nema Theta Rho Girls' Club No. 46, Niles, was a delegate to the Theta Rho Assembly, which convened in Santa Cruz, April 18 and 19. Miss Bennett was appointed as herald for the two days of the Assembly meeting.



PAT MOHN, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Mohn, Niles, attended the Theta Rho Assembly, I.O.O.F., at Santa Cruz, last week. Miss Mohn is president of the local club, and was a delegate to the Assembly.

NEW MEMBERS ADDED TO LIONS

Gordon Cotton of Newark and Warren Vandervorde of Centerville were inducted into the Lions Club at Tuesday's meeting at the California Inn in Centerville. John Hoffman, past Lions president of the San Leandro club, was the installation officer.

The Lions voted to participate in the Washington Township Apricot Festival with a float and named Joe Adams chairman of the float committee.

President Tony Petsche stated this week that the Lions decided to go out this Sunday and finish the job of painting and sprucing up the Township Honor Roll in Centerville.

Reservations to attend the Spring Conference at Holberg's in Lake County have been made by several of the local Lions and their wives.

ELEVEN MORE VETERANS RETURN TO TOWNSHIP

This week's roster of new veterans show Niles with six of the 11 servicemen returning to civilian life in the township. They are:

George Vrontecos, Robert Rodriguez, Thomas Negretti, Clarence Harvey, Alexander Olivera and Leopoldo Rangel, of Niles; James Silva, Albert Carvalho and Chris L. Garcia, of Decoto; and Roy Mathieson and John M. Silva, of Centerville.

NILES MOURNS PASSING OF ROBERT VIEUX

All of Niles was shocked by the sudden passing last Tuesday of Robert M. Vieux, who died two years after the passing of his brother, Leon, who went as suddenly.

Member of a well-known family, Mr. Vieux was highly esteemed in the community where he spent most of his 48 years. Born in Sumol, he attended the Niles school and, during World War I, made 12 trips across the seas with the Navy.

At one time he was in business with his brothers in what is known as the Vieux Bros. Electrical shop. At the time of his death he was employed at the Newark Electric Company.

He is survived by his 86-year-old father, Octave, and by his widow, Rose, and a daughter, widow, Rose, and a daughter, Betty, and also by two brothers, Jack and Al Vieux, and two sisters, Mary, and Mrs. James Young of Mission San Jose.

He was a member of Washington Township American Legion Post No. 195 and the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local No. 595.

Funeral services are being held this morning (Friday) from the Berge Mortuary, thence to Corpus Christi Church where a requiem mass will be said for the repose of his soul. Interment will be at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward.

QUEEN BACKING FOR MISS VARGAS

Annabelle Marie Vargas, contestant for Queen of the Apricot Festival, has the good wishes and backing of the Warm Springs Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Vargas was officially sponsored at last Thursday's special directors meeting of the Chamber. Warm Springs will also have a booth and float in the Festival, according to President Nunes. Leonard Baptist was named chairman of the Festival committee.

The directors also named John Souza as fire chief of a proposed voluntary group for the community. Arrangements have been made to secure a county fire truck, Nunes reported this week.

'SUMMER STORM' AGAIN TONIGHT

The play, "Summer Storm," presented by the senior class of Washington Union High School last night at the high school auditorium was well received by a crowd of enthusiastic parents and friends. A repeat performance, with a different cast, will be given again tonight.

Last night's cast was as follows: Chuck Burton, Eddie Cardoza; Buddy Burton, John Torquemada; Eloise Turner, Clara Feliciano; Nedra Burton, Helen Vieux; Patricia Burton, Arlene McNemar; Mrs. Ada Burton, Ramona Perez; Spike, Arthur Brown; Val, Annette Kirkish; Mr. Clem Burton, William Enos; Reverend Daniels Gilbert Espinoza; Stephen Freeman, Leon Vieux; Kenny Clark, Frank Hernandez; Sheriff O'Neill, Henry Gutierrez. Those taking part in tonight's performance will be: Chuck Burton, portrayed by Eddie Cardoza; Buddy Burton, John Torquemada; Eloise Turner, June Daniels; Nedra Burton, Winnie Pereira; Patricia Burton, Nelda Hammond; Mrs. Ada Burton, Ella May Allen; Spike, Arthur Brown; Val, Evelyn Brown; Mr. Clem Burton, Alvin Lewis; Reverend Daniels, Gilbert Espinoza; Stephen Freeman, Charles Willis; Kenny Clark, Frank Hernandez; Sheriff O'Neill, Henry Gutierrez.

SCHOOL COMMENDED BY JUNIOR RED CROSS

The students of the Centerville Elementary school were commended by Mrs. Lucile N. Wilson, director of the Oakland Chapter, Junior Red Cross, for their splendid participation in Junior Red Cross activities.

Prior to the Easter vacation attractive nut cups were made for soldiers in the hospitals. Ash trays made of bottle caps were so unique and original that they drew many compliments.

Students of Centerville School helped bring cheer to wounded veterans at the Easter season and carried out the motto of service to others.

SENIORS TO GET COLLEGE PREVIEW

Seniors of Washington Union High School will get a preview of college life and studies next Tuesday during a guided tour through San Jose State College.

The local school is one of eight accepting the college's invitation to participate in this orientation program that will be in the nature of vocational guidance for high school students.

A group of students will be taken through the various departments of study in accordance with vocational interests indicated by them on sign-up slips. Among college departments that will be visited are those in engineering, aeronautics, art, psychology and philosophy.

Principal J. V. Gould, Coach Hird, Miss Grace Knoles, and Senior Advisor Miss Van Winkle, will accompany the students.

The program is designed to answer general questions regarding a vocational interest and is not limited to the student who plans to attend college, according to Miss Knoles.

LECTURE ABOUT ATOMIC BOMBS AT HIGH SCHOOL

The only man in the world who saw all three atomic bombs drop will present the first lecture of the forum series of the Adult Education Program at the high school next Thursday, May 2.

He is Lawrence Johnson of the Radiation Laboratory at the University of California and he will talk on "Experiences with the Atomic Bomb."

The speaker unfolds the dramatic incidents connected with the one experimental bombing in this country and the two bombings in Japan in a simple and unassuming manner, according to Miss Grace Knoles of the high school faculty. Miss Knoles, who has heard him speak, states that Johnston also impresses his audience with a deep awareness of the moral responsibility of those charged with atomic energy experimentation.

A question and answer period usually follows the presentation of his subject.

This first lecture begins at eight o'clock next Thursday night in the high school auditorium with invitation extended to all in the township. There is no admission charge.

TOMATO GROWERS MEET IN HAYWARD NEXT TUESDAY

All tomato growers of Alameda county are being urged to attend a meeting in the city hall, Hayward, Tuesday, April 30, at 8 p.m., by Joe Rose Jr., Pleasanton, chairman of the Alameda County Farm Bureau Tomato section.

Purpose of the meeting is to set the picking price for the 1946 crop for Alameda county. "Unless we set a standard price for picking canning tomatoes and adhere to it, we will be faced with labor pirating and contractors will pit one grower against another to get exorbitant wages," said Rose.

Another important matter for discussion is the question of organizing a statewide canning tomato section under the Vegetable Department of California Farm Bureau Federation.

Rose said growers will be asked to assess themselves in amounts ranging from two to five cents per ton for the purpose of employing a full-time field man to work on specific tomato problems such as:

(a) Negotiations with canners on contract terms.

(b) Issuance to members of a weekly market news bulletin during the active contract signing period.

(c) Issuance of other news letters during the year from time to time as useful information develops.

(d) Follow up on research work of interest to canning tomato growers.

(e) Follow up on problems arising during picking season, such as inspection problems, box shortages, undue waiting time at canneries, etc.

(f) Relationships with government agencies on matters affecting the tomato industry.

(g) Such other activities as may be determined.

GROWERS SUGGEST APRICOT PRICES FOR '46 CROP

Prices of \$121 a ton for fresh apricots and 39 cents a pound for dried fruit have been recommended to the government for approval, according to Warren Rice, speaker at last Wednesday's annual dinner meeting of the Berryessa local of the California Prune and Apricot Growers.

Manuel J. Bernardo was chairman of the meeting in the local high school cafeteria, attended by about 175 member growers from Alameda and Santa Clara Counties, many of whom have apricot orchards in the township.

Rice, manager in the field for the growers association, pointed out that his figures were only the recommendations of government appointed representative growers and neutral sources, and that final prices will be set by the Department of Agriculture and the OPA.

Indications are, said Rice, that the price set by the government for the 1946 apricots would be at the retail trade level, which would in turn affect the prices for the growers. Speaking of the apricot crop in the state, he compared last year's yield of 325,000 tons with present figures of an anticipated harvest of about 300,000 tons for 1946.

Statistics of past average prices secured for member growers through the marketing organization of the association were read at the meeting. Relative advantages to growers of marketing their crop, as fresh fruit, or as dried fruit with or without pits, were also discussed.

Manuel Alameda, William Furtado and Manuel Olivera of Centerville are on the board of directors along with Chairman Bernardo.

SQUARE DANCING IS POPULAR RECREATION HERE

With new residents coming into Niles daily, and with veterans returning to the township, any form of recreation that provides a means of getting acquainted is indeed welcome. And if this recreation has the additional advantage of being a lot of fun, and is absolutely free of charge to the participant, anyone—new and old residents alike—is foolish not to take part in it.

We are speaking—in case you haven't already guessed—of the square dancing in Niles, held every Monday evening at eight o'clock at the Niles school auditorium. Tim O'Neill, the instructor, having learned this popular terpsichorean art with square dancers in Oakland, is well qualified to teach the dancers the intricacies of the "do-se-do" and "swing-your-partner's." He is assisted in the teaching by his equally proficient wife.

In case you have never attempted square dancing, don't let modesty keep you away. There are others present who are also in the "never-did-it-before" stage. Don't worry; you'll learn. And until you've done the California Schottische or the Spanish Circle, you'll never know what fun dancing can be!

Square dancing plays no favorites as far as age goes. Teen-agers, as well as those in the sunset of life, enjoy this pastime.

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THE NEWS IN NEWARK

By LOUISE CHAPMAN

Attending the ceremony of Victory Circle of Druids Monday night in Centerville and enjoying it very much were Mrs. Joseph Gastelum and Mrs. Joseph Dias. It was an official visit of Mrs. Don Meyers, grand arch-druidess, and the ceremony was very impressive.

The well-known "Sophie" Gweryder had her annual barbecue on Easter Sunday. It was held at the Swiss Park. A large crowd enjoyed a delicious style spread, and the steaks were super.

A baby boy was born to Mrs. Tony Alonzo on Tuesday, April 23, in the San Jose Hospital. Robert has been chosen for the little one's name. Her daddy is oh, so-o proud.

The Chapmans and the Bettencourt family of Central avenue, Centerville, were guests of the Rodriguez family in Oakland on Easter. The three sisters enjoyed the day with their dad, J. G. Rose and wife. The turkey and all that goes with it was delicious. After dinner a card game of pedro was enjoyed.

The S.P.R.S.I. food sale was a great success, and members wish to thank everyone that helped to make it so.

Another young couple to settle in Newark are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dias. They have bought a home on Dairy avenue.

DECOTO SCHOOL

By Margaret Williams

In a Washington Township League volleyball game played at Irvington, the Decoto team was defeated. The players were: Decoto—Antoinette Navas, Myrtle Hernandez, Mary Jewel Lopez, Rosemary Faletti, Margaret Nieves, Rose Marie Tejada, Antoinette Sanchez, Mary Ann Ramirez, Mary Lou James, Louise Quiroz and Alice Rebello.

Irvington—Loretta Santos, Theresa Baptista, Betty Lizardo, Ornella Zandajas, Della Espinosa, Eleanor Coronado, Shirley Furtado and Ellen Hall.

Referees were Miss Charlotte Sandorf and Mrs. Irma Boland. Transportation was furnished by Mrs. Ruby Rogers and Mrs. Katherine Graham.

The Decoto Girls' team defeated the Newark Girls' team in a volleyball series played at Newark. Decoto was the winner in two of the three games played. This was the second series for both teams in the Washington Township Girls' Volleyball League.

The officials were Miss Mary Shea, principal of Newark, and Mrs. Irma Boland, teacher at Decoto.

The line-up for the Decoto girls

NILES SCOUTMASTER CONFINED TO HOME

John Cattaneo, Niles Boy Scout Master, is confined to his home this week, suffering from an illness that is being treated by doses of penicillin. His Scouts, very much concerned, are wishing him a speedy recovery.

team was: Anscencion Lopez, Elizabeth Ramos, Myrtle Hernandez, Margaret Williams, Mary Ann Ramirez, Antoinette Navas, Margaret Nieves, Alice Rebello, Antoinette Sanchez, Patsy Halliwell, Louisa Quiroz and Petty Guerra.

On April 23, 864 people were vaccinated at Decoto school. There were 517 adults and 347 school children. Miss Miller, Miss Ronning and Dr. Mason were the attendants and the hours were 9-12 and 1-2:30.

Salz warehouse office is getting a spring cleaning. Ed Goularte is painting the building white with rust trim. A lawn is also being planted in front of the office. Looks very nice and more should follow suit.

Copper in the United States is down to a 34 years' supply, zinc, lead and antimony, and vanadium to less than 20 years.

LOCAL NINE IS TAKING SHAPE

Manager Frank Lewis of Frick's softball nine said this week his club will be a combination hard to beat.

Lewis is not yet definite on the final lineup but tryouts to date assure him Frick's will enter a smooth-working outfit.

The players have been working out in the following positions, according to the manager: pitcher, Glen Harrelson and Tex Holden; catcher, F. Lewis; first base, Carl Crosswhite; infielders, Ed Cardoza, C. Musgrove, Frank Avilla and Harry Avilla; outfielders, C. Oliveira, A. C. Silva, Le Roy Gomes, John Musgrove, George King, Clarence Le Bon and Henry Vervais who is also an infielder.

Practice games, under lights, before the start of the township league playing, are being arranged by Lewis.

ARMED FORCES

Pfc. ALBERT HARVEY is now in Korea, and is not very happy because of the food situation, which, he claims, is not very good. He is the son of Mrs. Mary Harvey.

OLIVE BELLINI TAKEN BY DEATH

After a lengthy illness, Olive Marie Bellini, wife of Arnold Bellini of Niles, succumbed this week to a disease that took her at the early age of 33.

The death of the young woman, who was born in Centerville, brought grief, not only to her husband and two young sons, but to her many friends throughout the township.

In addition to her husband, and sons, Arnold Thomas and Dale Robert, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Carrie Silva of Niles and by a brother, Thomas Silva of Centerville.

Funeral services are being held this morning from the Corpus Christi Church in Niles where a 9 a.m. mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Interment will be at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Hayward.

DR. MERLE BUEHLER TO START PRACTICE IN CENTERVILLE

Dr. Merle Buehler, who served for 30 months as a major in the army, announced this week that he will start practicing medicine and surgery in Centerville on or about May 15. He is at present on terminal leave from Dibble Hospital.

Dr. Buehler, a brother of Dr. Lyle Buehler of Niles, will open the offices formerly occupied by Dr. Westphal who will not return here to practice.

The Major started his medical career at Stanford University and received his M.D. from that institution in 1940. He interned at the San Francisco County Hospital in 1939 and '40, was the junior house officer in surgery there from June, 1940, to July, 1941, and was assistant resident in surgery at Stanford University Hospital in 1941-42. In 1942-43 he was resident surgeon of the Stanford service of the San Francisco Hospital, and then entered the army, where he has been since. He served with the Fifth Auxiliary Surgical Group in the European Theater for several months.

Dr. Buehler and his family have rented a home in Irvington.

Bureaucracy in housing: At least 15 different agencies, financed in whole or in part by federal funds, have been developed to handle housing projects.

More of the Salinas River flows underground than flows above the surface.

Niles Theatre

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FRED ASTAIRE in

YOLANDA AND THE THIEF

—and—

Ray Whitley in

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SUNDAY & MONDAY

DOROTHY LAMOUR in Masquerade in Mexico

—and—

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SWISS STEAK

This perennial favorite always goes over with the men in the family. Although round steak is most frequently used, chuck or sirloin tip is equally good swissed.

Allowing about 1/4 pound for each person, have steak cut 1 to 2 inches thick. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and roll in flour. Pound with edge of plate. Brown in melted shortening in Dutch oven or heavy frying pan. Add 2 cups of water, cover, and cook slowly for 2 1/2 hours or until meat is tender. Add more water, if necessary, to make the desired amount of gravy. Serve with fluffy mashed potatoes.

LAMB SHOULDER POT ROAST

About a half hour before the pot roast is done put in peeled potatoes, carrots and onions and you'll have a complete meal. Sprinkle a 3-pound lamb shoulder with salt and pepper and roll in flour. Brown in melted shortening in a Dutch oven or deep kettle with tight fitting lid. Add 2 cups of hot water, a medium-sized onion thinly sliced and a bay leaf. Cover and cook slowly about 3 hours or until tender. Add more water if necessary. Serves 6 to 8.

BRAISED SHORT RIBS

Here's another old-timer that's been a favorite for generations. Try serving with home-made noodles.

Have 3 pounds of short ribs cut in serving size pieces. Brown slowly, turning often, in a small amount of shortening in a heavy kettle with tight fitting cover. Add a cup of hot water, salt and pepper. Cover and cook slowly until meat is tender, about 1 1/2 to 2 hours. Serve the liquid as gravy or add more water and thicken with flour blended to a smooth paste with cold water. Serves 6.

STUFFED BEEF OR VEAL STEAK

Thinly sliced beef or veal round or a flank steak are all good served this way. Score or pound a thin slice of round steak, sprinkle with salt and pepper and spread evenly with your favorite stuffing. (Bread stuffing well-seasoned with celery and parsley is especially good.) Roll lengthwise; tie securely with string or skewer, being sure to fasten ends. Brown in melted shortening in a Dutch oven or deep kettle with tight fitting cover. Add about 2 cups of hot water, cover and cook slowly until tender, or about 2 1/2 hours. Cut in slices to serve. Serves 6.

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Thinking Things Over...

By VIVIAN BATMAN

Dear Peg:

So it's time for your vacation, is it, and you're planning on leaving the city and going to Tahoe? Don't be silly, Peg, come down

here to Niles and spend your vacation. The season is about to open. I mean the shooting season. You see, it's election time.

"How dull!" you exclaim?

Now, that's where you're mistaken. Elections in other parts of the country—national, state, and city—may be dull. But elections in Niles, I assure you, have all the oomph and glamor of a first-night opening. They're exciting; they're baffling; they're intriguing! Especially intriguing. You'd be surprised at all the little intrigues that are being hatched out to grow into nice little plots designed to

keep the opposing candidate from taking office.

Because we have no mayor here, the citizenry puts all its enthusiasm into stumping for the candidates for judge and school trustee. Frankly, I believe we'd all become just as heated over a dog-catcher election. It's just the spirit of the thing.

I can easily see why anyone would like to be judge. It pays a neat little stipend. But school trustee? Well, it's no political plum—and it doesn't pay a dime.

If you do decide to spend your vacation here, Peg, be prepared to see men in little knots on the street corners. They are not, as you may imagine, discussing the passing female pulchritude. Their conversation will probably run something like this:

"Nope, I'm gonna vote for— He's a good egg. Can't let him down now, after all these years."

This will be countered by: "Vote for that guy! Not much I will! We got to get some new blood in here. We need a change."

The heat has been turned on in Niles. It's not the kind of heat that will give you a sun-tan, Peg. It will do more for you than that. It'll give you a little of the spirit of the Old West—the rootin', tootin', shootin', kind of spirit that prevailed in the frontier days. Stay here a couple of weeks and your blood will start racing, and your spirits soar, and you'll fight at the drop of a milk-bottle cap.

Go to Tahoe? How dull! I've received an epistle from our Box-number friend in Centerville who so graciously sent me a butter carton not long ago:

Dear Viv:

Do you know what the word is at parties that I attend (now and then). It isn't did you see this week's "Register?" Oh, no! It's "Have you read Vivian's column this week?" Imagine a newspaper that is metropolitan in every respect even up to and including L. R., the editor, getting to a stage where people read "Thinking Things Over" before they read the front page!

In your issue of April 12, Vol. 58, No. 15, you stated that some one moved to Hollister as Centerville was too metropolitan. I must agree, we are metropolitan; we are the "Hub." In fact this city will some day be re-named Center, Calif., as it is centrally located in Washington Township. How-

ever, the population will still consist of about 99.9% common people.

Sincerely yours,
P. O. Box 45,
Centerville, Calif.

Dear P. O. Box 45:

Your first paragraph gives me goose pimples, wondering how I'm going to live up to it. The second paragraph will probably do the same thing to the citizens of Centerville (oh, I beg your pardon—Center) for the same reason.

NAME CALLIN'

A man called me a liar last week. He came right in and said it to my face. I have never had a man call me a liar before. I was stunned. I was appalled. What's more I was speechless, which is a bad state of affairs for any woman to allow herself to get into.

I reached the apoplectic stage after he had gone, when the realization that he had no right to call me a liar because I was NOT a liar, finally penetrated my dimmed wits.

I made the mistake of informing the editor about this little off-the-record drama, and he was all for going out and "take a sock at the guy." This chivalrous attitude appealed to me, but I had no trouble in persuading him that he was there to WRITE about news, not MAKE it. He simmered down. So did the man. Because several days later he phoned and apologized.

I'm wondering now if the apology, which came just before press day, was prompted by a little hint I had inadvertently dropped about what nice reading the whole little story would make if it were exposed in this column.

That apology, I may say, came just in time!

Centerville School News

By Beverly Miller

EIGHTH GRADE DAY

The eighth grade class will participate in the eighth grade day at the high school on Friday, May 3.

TRAFFIC PATROL

On Saturday, May 4, the members of the traffic patrol will participate in the annual traffic patrol review and visit the campus of the University of California.

PHYSICAL FITNESS

The students have just finished the physical fitness exercises. The

following events were given:

Boys: Burpee, push-ups, pull-ups, sit-ups, and frog-stand.
Girls: burpee, Sit-ups, jump-and-reach, basketball throw, and soccer throw.

SCHOOL DANCE

The annual school dance will be held on Friday, May 10, at 8 to 11 p.m., in the Centerville Elementary School auditorium. All eighth grade students and students of Washington Union High school are invited.

Committee in charge is: Stanley Mach (chairman), Patricia Perry, Elaine Bettencourt, Lorraine Gomes and Pat Francis.

THOMAS REYES NEGRETTE, S.C., of Niles, was honorably discharged from the United States Navy at the Naval Personnel Separation Center at Shoemaker.

FAMED VIOLINIST TO PLAY SAN JOSE

The Hungarian violinist, Joseph Szigeti, hailed as "colossally great," "truly the giant violinist of our day," gives a recital in the auditorium, San Jose, this Friday evening, April 26. The program includes the Kreutzer sonata, Beethoven; Poeme, Chausson; Suite Italienne, Stravinsky; Largo, Varacini; Rondo in D major, Schubert-Friedberg; Maidens in the Garden, Mom-pou-Szigeti; Zephyr, Hubay.

Tremendous interest is being shown in the coming of the Brock Pemberton production of "Harvey," with Joe E. Brown and Marion Lorne, which is scheduled for the

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auditorium, San Jose, on Saturday evening, May 11. According to box office reports, the house is already half sold out. "Harvey" is still running on Broadway, with a record of never having had one unsold ticket for any performance. Tickets are on sale at the Denny-Watrous box office, San Jose auditorium.

The U. S. per capita debt is \$1,935. The average debt per family is \$8,127.

NEWARK MAN REELECTED TO TAXPAYERS ASSN.

W. D. Patterson of Newark has been reelected to serve as a member of the Board of Directors of the Alameda County Taxpayers' Association, according to an announcement this week by G. C. Morris, executive secretary. The first meeting of the association will be held today (Friday) at the Hotel Leamington.

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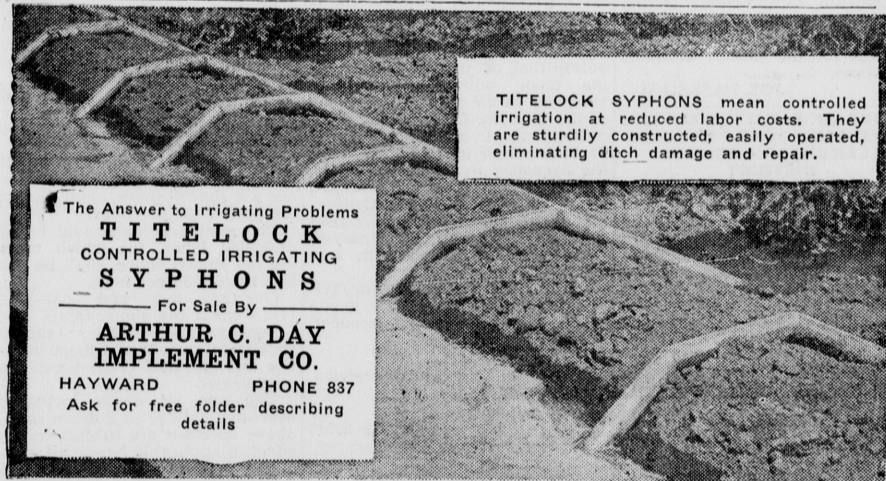
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LET'S TALK ABOUT LABOR



The Labor Vote in Contra Costa County is very heavy . . .

The Democratic Vote in Contra Costa County is also very heavy . . .

My former campaigns—when I was elected Sheriff twice in Contra Costa County—were run on a strictly non-partisan basis, with excellent opponents against me, and were won by astonishing majorities.

Those elections were won because my whole life has been devoted to a policy of being fair to everyone.

Now, inasmuch as nearly all organizations, labor, farm or industry, have some opponents today, I do not solicit any endorsements. I want the votes of both friends and foes of organizations, because I intend to be a fair representative of all interests—right down the line.

My past record of fair dealing with Labor in Contra Costa County must be proof enough that in the future as in the past, Labor in both Alameda and Contra Costa counties will be given a

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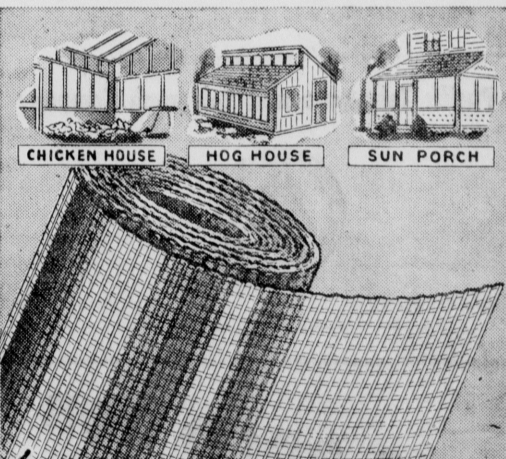
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OUR READERS WRITE

To the Editor:

Mothers or Parents Club versus P.T.A. That is an important issue in Niles right now, whether you think so or not. The importance is not in the names, but in the necessity for a live organization for our town. An organization of

parents of the children in the Niles grammar school to help in the needs and welfare of these children is a local necessity.

Several proposals have been made for the formation of a club to serve these worthy purposes which cannot be served or least most emphatically are not being served at this time by the local unit of the P.T.A.

A MOTHER.

TWENTY YEARS AGO...

(From the 1926 files of The Township Register.)

The Newark Dramatic Club with Frank Jones, Ruth Blair Townsend, Mervin Mento, Frank Veit, Frank Doorley and Lida Francis, staged one of their best productions with proceeds going to the Newark Boy Scouts.

Joseph Fernandez headed a committee to raise funds to beautify the grounds of Mission San Jose de Guadalupe.

The Niles Chamber of Commerce voted to enter a float in the coming parade in San Jose.

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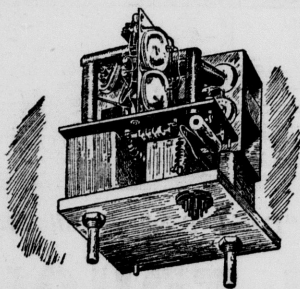
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CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Centerville

Church School for all ages at 10 a.m.
Morning worship service at 11:15 a.m. Sermon: "He Ascended into Heaven." Text: Luke 24:51-52. "And it came to pass, while he blessed them he parted from them, and was carried up into heaven. And they worshipped him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy."

"He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead." The Apostles Creed.

Last Saturday the youth group of the church had a baseball game with the Boys' Club of the Newark Presbyterian Church. The Centerville boys won the game. Another game is scheduled one week from Saturday.

The boys of the Centerville Church will organize into a Junior Hi Club next Saturday. They will be connected with the San Jose headquarters of the Y.M.C.A.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICE

"Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God. But exhort one another daily, while it is called Today; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin" (Hebrews 3:12, 13). This is the Golden Text for the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for April 28. The subject is "Probation After Death."

Citation from the sermon: Romans 13:12: "The night is far spent, the day is at hand; let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light."

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APRIL
30—George Washington is inaugurated first President, 1789.

MAY
1—Admiral Dewey wins Battle of Manila, 1898.
2—John Bassett Moore elected U. S. envoy to International Court, 1922.

3—People of West Virginia ratify state constitution, 1862.
4—Anarchist riot in Haymarket Square, Chicago, 1886.

5—Charles Grimm becomes manager of Chicago Cubs, 1944.
6—British penny postage stamps printed on glued paper, 1845.

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REBEKAH NEWS

Mrs. Jennie Mohn, advisor of Neona Theta Rho Girls' Club of Niles, accompanied by Mrs. Ivy Cull and Mrs. Anna Bradford of the Niles Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F., and Pat Mohn, Beverly Bennett, Audrey Vestal and Aalice Hale of the local club, attended the two-day session of the Theta Rho Assembly which met at Santa Cruz, April 18 and 19. Miss Bennett and Miss Mohn were delegates.

While at Santa Cruz the party were guests of Mrs. Ethel Garner of Hayward, a member of the Board of Control of Theta Rho Girls' Clubs, at her cottage.

They attended the banquet at the Civic Auditorium Thursday evening. There were over 500 girls at the banquet, as well as about 100 Rebekah sisters.

Mrs. Nina Bartholomew, noble grand of the Pleasanton Rebekah

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 94419 Dept. 4

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, FLORENCE S. WALTON, Executrix of the Will of WILLIAM W. WALTON, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the office of ALLEN G. NORRIS, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated at Centerville, California, April 24, 1946.

FLORENCE S. WALTON
Executrix of the Will of
William W. Walton,
Deceased.

ALLEN G. NORRIS
LEROY A. BROUN
Attorneys for Executrix,
Centerville, California.

First publication: April 26, 1946.
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NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ROY A. PINE intends to sell and A. W. ERWAY and W. C. MARTIN intend to purchase all of the equipment and fixtures together with the good will thereof, of that certain business located at 733 First Street, in the Town of Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, and being known and designated as "RADIO CITY."

Notice is further given that the name and address of the intended seller is as follows, to-wit: ROY A. PINE, Box 14, Sunol, California. The names and addresses of the intended buyers are as follows, to-wit: A. W. ERWAY and W. C. MARTIN, 115 Stoakes Ave., San Leandro, California.

A general statement of the character of the property intended to be sold is as follows: the fixtures, equipment, and radio business carried on at said "RADIO CITY," 733 First Street, Niles, California.

That the purchase price and consideration is to be paid on the 30th day of April, 1946, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A.M. of said day, at 733 First Street, Niles, California. Dated: April 26, 1946.

ROY A. PINE,
Intended Seller.

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Lodge, and her two daughters, Pat and Barbara, members of Neona Theta Rho Club, and Mrs. Mary Phelps of Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge, also attended the assembly.

Mrs. Ivy Cull, district deputy president of District 53, accompanied by her deputy grand officers and drill team, paid an official visit to Pleasanton Rebekah Lodge Monday evening, April 22.

Niles Rebekah Lodge will give an afternoon card party Friday, May 3, at Odd Fellows Hall, starting at 1:30 p.m., according to Anna Bradford, noble grand. Proceeds will go toward the building fund.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

April 22, 1945.

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

209 North Main Street, Centerville, California.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance by transfer of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer.
Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

MARGUERITE JOHNSON
PETER M. JOHNSON

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April 22, 1946

To Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given that fifteen days after the date posted, the undersigned proposes to sell alcoholic beverages at these premises, described as follows:

Niles Canyon Road, 3 miles east of Niles.

Pursuant to such intention, the undersigned is applying to the State Board of Equalization for issuance on original application of an alcoholic beverage license (or licenses) for these premises as follows:

On Sale Beer.
Anyone desiring to protest the issuance of such license(s) may file a verified protest with the State Board of Equalization at Sacramento, California, stating grounds for denial as provided by law. The premises are not now licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages.

JOE PASSEGGI

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY THE GOVERNING BOARD OF NILES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of Niles Elementary School District of Alameda County, California, that the Annual Election of members of the Board of Trustees of the Niles Elementary School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 17, 1946.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

The polling place for said electors of the Niles Elementary School District will be at the Niles Elementary School in the Niles Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 12 o'clock noon and 6 p.m.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above named Elementary School are:

Ann Dutra, Inspector
Emma Alves, Judge
Mae Geib, Judge

Signed, JOE D. GOMES, Clerk,
Trustees of Niles Elementary School District.

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CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP TRANSACTING BUSINESS UNDER A FICTITIOUS NAME

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are co-partners transacting business in the State of California, having our principal place of business in the Town of Warm Springs, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of "S. & F. GENERAL MERCHANDISE";

that we are the only persons having any interest in said business and that our names in full and our places of residence are as follows:

Virginia Steinmetz, Mission San Jose, California;
Virginia Feleciano, Warm Springs, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 6th day of April, 1946.

VIRGINIA STEINMETZ
VIRGINIA FELECIANO

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 6th day of April in the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ED. HAYNES and J. A. SEMAS, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA,
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(Seal) A12-19-26M3-10

for the Occupational Therapy Unit to be built on the grounds of the Veterans' Home at Yountville. Olive Pugmire, chairman of the committee, has as her assistants Mildred Barber and Ivy Cull.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR MEMBER OF GOVERNING BOARD

of the Irvington School District.

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Irvington School District of Alameda County, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Board of Trustees of the Irvington School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 17, 1946.

It will be necessary to elect 1 member.

The polling place for said electors of the Irvington School District will be at the Irvington Elementary School in the Irvington School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 1:00 P.M. and 7:00 P.M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above named Elementary District are:

Lucille Day, Inspector.
Mary Rose, Judge.
Lola Hall, Judge.

(Signed) LESLIE HILLER.
March 17th, 1946. A12-19-26

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 94342 Dept. No. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executrix of the Last Will of ANTONIO E. GARCIA, also known as ANTONIO E. GARCIA, Sr., A. E. GARCIA, and as A. E. GARCIA, Sr., deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: April 17, 1946.

MARY E. GARCIA
Executrix of the Last Will of
the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA,
Attorney for said Executrix,
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California.

A19-26M3-10

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 94209 Dept. 4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the estate of A. R. PEIXOTO, also known as ANTONIA R. PEIXOTO, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

MARGARITA A. PEIXOTO
Administratrix of the Estate
of the above named decedent.

Dated: April 8th, 1946.

E. A. QUARESMA,
Attorney for said Administratrix,
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California.

A12-19-26M3

No. 12393

CERTIFICATE OF
CO-PARTNERSHIP
STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

We, the undersigned, ED. HAYNES and J. A. SEMAS, hereby certify that we are co-partners, transacting business at Irvington, in the County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of TOWNSHIP CLEANERS; that we are the only persons having an interest in said business, and that the places of our residence are hereinafter set forth following our respective signatures hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 4th day of April, 1946.

ED. HAYNES, Residing at Irvington, California.
J. A. SEMAS, Residing at Mission San Jose, California.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.

On this 4th day of April, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-Six, before me, ALLEN G. NORRIS, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ED. HAYNES and J. A. SEMAS, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

ALLEN G. NORRIS
Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.

(Seal) A19-26M3-10-17

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Room 373, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, until 2 o'clock p.m. on May 15, 1946, at which time they will be

LEGAL NOTICE

publicly opened and read in the Assembly Room of said building, for constructing State Highway in accordance with the specifications therefor, to which special reference is made, as follows:

Alameda County, across Alameda Creek and over the tracks of the Western Pacific Railroad Company about 2.7 miles west of Sunol (IV-Ala-107-A) a bridge and overhead crossing and approaches to be constructed.

Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

Classification	Rate per Hour
Asphalt plant dryerman or fireman	\$1.40
Asphalt plant mixer operator	1.45
Asphalt spreading machine operator	1.75
Carpenter	1.75
Cement finisher	1.75
Concrete mixer operator (one cubic yard capacity or less)	1.45
Concrete mixer operator (over one cubic yard capacity and paving type grader operator)	1.70
Motor operator of power shovel or other excavating equipment, shovel type controls (up to and including one cubic yard)	1.85
Operator of power shovel or other excavating equipment, shovel type controls (over one cubic yard)	2.00
Pile driver holstman or operator	2.25
Pile driver	1.85
Reinforcing steel worker	1.50
Roller operator	1.65
Tractor driver	1.70
Truck driver (8 cubic yards water level capacity or more)	1.725
Truck driver (6 cubic yards and less than 8 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.375
Intermediate Grade Labor	
Concrete vibrator operator	1.25
Jackhammer operator	1.25
Oil distributor bootman	1.125
Oil power shovels or cranes	1.40
Truck driver (4 cubic yards and less than 6 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.2625
Truck driver (less than 4 cubic yards water level capacity)	1.15
Unskilled Labor	
Flagman	1.0625
Laborer	1.0625

Positions not listed above will be allocated in accordance with the definitions which appear in the special provisions, as interpreted in the light of this classification.

The minimum wage paid to all skilled labor, for which rates are not shown above, shall be not less than \$1.25 per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all intermediate labor, for which rates are not shown above, shall be not less than \$1.00 per hour.

The minimum wage paid to all unskilled labor, for which rates are not shown above, shall be not less than \$1.00 per hour.

Overtime—one and one-half (1½) times the above rates.

Sundays and holidays (except watchmen, guards and flagman)—one and one-half (1½) times the above rates.

The rates of wages, including overtime, holiday or Sunday rates, above specified are subject to the effect, if applicable hereto, of executive orders of the President of the United States and to any modification thereof and to any and all lawful orders of the President or any other authorized Federal officer or agency, insofar as the same may be applicable to this contract. In case of any inconsistency, the rates fixed by any such applicable Federal order, whether higher or lower, shall control.

The attention of bidders is directed to the fact that the work herein proposed to be done will be financed in whole or in part with Federal funds and that therefore all of the applicable Federal statutes, rules, and regulations will apply to such work.

The attention of bidders is particularly directed to the provisions of Section 7, article (a), subarticle (6), of the Standard Specifications regarding the use of domestic materials; and also to the provisions of Section 8, articles (a) and (b), of the Standard Specifications, regarding subcontracting and assignment of the contract, respectively.

Plans may be seen, and forms of proposal, bonds, contract, and specifications may be obtained at the office of the State Highway Engineer, Public Works Building, Sacramento, California, and they may be seen at the offices of the District Engineers at Los Angeles and San Francisco, at the office of the District Engineer of the District in which the work is situated, and at the office of the Associated General Contractors in San Francisco.

No bid will be considered unless it is made on a blank form furnished by the State Highway Engineer and is made in accordance with the provisions of the Proposal Requirements and Conditions set forth under Section 2 of the Standard Specifications. Each bidder must be licensed and also pre-qualified as required by law (See said Proposal Requirements and Conditions).

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS,
G. T. MCCOY,
State Highway Engineer

Dated April 19, 1946.

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...Around the Township...

Costas Vacation At Catalina Island

Mrs. Ed Costa and daughter, Pat, of Newark, in order to escape crowded resorts later on in the season, took their vacation last week, spending it at Catalina Island, Los Angeles. They returned last Friday bringing back glowing reports of the scenery thereabouts and found the island very fascinating.

Return Home from Dallas, Texas, Trip

Home in Niles again, after traveling 4000 miles in five days, are Mrs. Rose Vieux, her daughter, Jeanette, and her son, Leon. The three took advantage of the Easter vacation to motor to Dallas, Texas, to visit another daughter, Mrs. John Sandlin (Yvonne Vieux). By driving night and day, they were able to spend five complete days in Dallas.

Has Her First Birthday Party

"It's the first birthday party I ever had!" said Mrs. Herman Mau enthusiastically, telling about the surprise party she was given last Wednesday evening at Irwin's in Irvington by the young people who were skating at the rink. Mrs. Mau was ushered into Irwin's and greeted by about two dozen young people chrousing, "Happy Birthday." After the ice-cream and cake, she opened the many lovely gifts that she received.

See "Oklahoma"

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crane spent Easter Sunday evening in San Francisco, enjoying the still-popular "Oklahoma." Unable to get seats together, they were forced to take box seats—but in opposite boxes! However, they enjoyed the show, and were amused to be sitting across from each other.

Mary Bernard Now Is Mrs. A. Rivers

Before a large group of friends and relatives at the Holy Ghost Church in Centerville Easter Sunday afternoon, Miss Mary Bernard became the bride of Anthony Rivers. Father Thomas O'Kane officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by her father, Fermino Bernard. She was attired in a white satin gown, with fitted bodice and marquisette top. The long veil was held in place with a white beaded Juliet cap and she carried a bouquet of white calla lilies, sweet peas, and an orchid.

Mrs. Theresa Sarmiento, the bride's sister, was the matron of honor, and was attired in a blue net gown and a Juliet cap to match. She carried a bouquet of pink calla lilies.

The bridesmaids, Miss Victoria Soares and Miss Helen Cordenize, were attired in pink net gowns, with caps to match, and carried bouquets of blue calla lilies.

Mrs. F. Bernard, mother of the bride, wore a navy dress suit and white hat with white accessories, and Mrs. Rivers, the bridegroom's mother, was wearing a black suit and hat with white accessories. Both women wore gardenia corsages.

Standing beside the groom as best man was Tony Sarmiento. The ushers were Peter Ricers and Harry Bernard.

After the ceremony, the group left for the photographer's. On their arrival at the home of the bride's parents, a buffet supper was awaiting the bride and groom and relatives and close friends. At 7 p.m. the reception was held at the Holy Ghost parish hall in Centerville where they danced to the Pinto Orchestra of Alvarado. Miss Victoria Soares, the bridesmaid, caught the bridal bouquet and followed by the grand march, led by the bride and groom to the cutting of wedding cake.

Later in the evening the bride and groom left on their honeymoon up north. The bride, in a going-away outfit of a wine gabardine suit and white accessories and an orchid corsage.

They will make their home on Santos avenue upon their return.

The new Mrs. Rivers is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fermino Bernard of Santos avenue, and graduated from the Washington Union High School in 1942. She has been employed at the Graham Wedgewood factory.

Mr. Rivers is the son of Mrs. Mary Rivers of Alvarado. He also is a graduate of W.U.H.S. and is also employed at the Wedgewood factory. He was in overseas duty for two years and was rated a staff sergeant, and was discharged on February 14.

—By Josephine Bettencourt.

Veterans Honored At Big Barbecue

The Joe Amaral Jr. residence on Lincoln street, Irvington, was a scene of merriment when Mr. and Mrs. John F. Vargas and Dave were hosts to over 100 guests at a barbecue honoring some of the returned veterans of family and friends, on Easter Sunday afternoon.

There was baseball playing, horseshoe games, and dancing till ten o'clock in the evening, with floodlights lighting up the subjects.

One veteran who attended was one of World War I, JosephBorge of Mission San Jose, who was one of the cooks. War II men were: Army—George Amaral, Arthur Amaral, Herbie Dutra, Joseph Lewis, Edward Thomas and Ray Hall. Army Air Corps—Ernest Foster, Vernon J. Vargas and Donald Furtado. Maritime Service—Robert Mattos. Navy—David Vargas, Gene Murrell, Edward Kuegeman, Edward Costa, Bill Krueger, Paul Krueger, and two of whom are still in active duty, Wesley Hammond of the Navy, and Dick Dutra of the Army.

Mrs. Marie S. Bishop Is Back In Niles

Mrs. Marie Bishop recently returned to her home at the Hotel Belvoir. She plans on again making her home in Niles, where she has many friends.

She is going to manage her hotel property for an indefinite period, and is arranging to trim the plants on the grounds of the well-known site.

Her son, John, returned this week to San Rafael Military Academy, and David transferred to Washington Union High School. Miss Nancy Bishop is attending school in the south and will return to Niles for the summer vacation.

Carol Ann Rose Has Birthday

Tuesday was an especially pleasant day for 7-year-old Carol Anne Rose and her school friends to enjoy an out-of-doors birthday party. The children helped Carol Anne celebrate her birthday in the backyard of the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rose of Irvington.

Refreshments included the special birthday cake and ice cream and soda pop. Following the refreshments the children joined in games and laughter that will give Carol Anne fond memories of the happy day.

The little visitors included five girls from St. Mary's of the Palms.

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—Adv.

Mildred Martin Sets Wedding Date

May 12 has been set as the date for the merger of Mildred Martin of Alvarado, and Eddie Silva of Niles. The couple will exchange vows at a two o'clock ceremony at St. Anne's Church in Alvarado.

Acting as maid of honor will be Adrienne Silva of Hayward, and Albie Silva will do best man honors for his brother.

The bride-to-be, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin of Alvarado, graduated from Washington Union High School with the class of '44. Mr. Silva, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva of Niles, graduated in '39. He served in the Navy for three and a half years and has lately been employed at Frieden's in San Leandro.

Waltons To Visit Glendale Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Walton of Centerville are leaving from San Francisco today by plane for a week-end business and social trip to Los Angeles.

While in Glendale, they will visit with Dr. and Mrs. Ed Westphal, formerly of Centerville.

The Waltons will return by airline Sunday evening.

Telles Home on Pass for Easter

Pvt. Mervin E. Telles of Irvington was home for Easter Sunday on a pass from his Army duties at Camp Beale separation center.

In the evening he and Mrs. Telles visited her mother, Mrs. Alice Stefanoni of Livermore, and had their Easter supper with Mrs. Stefanoni.

Ponds Have Family, Friends for Easter

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pond of Irvington held a reunion with members of the family and friends at their home Easter Sunday.

Their son, Wallace R. Pond of Berkeley and recently discharged from the service, was present with his wife and her mother, Mrs. Lucille Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Briggs of Nampa, Idaho, and their daughters, Diane and Joan, were also family guests. Mrs. Briggs, the former Evelyn Pond, and her daughters, will continue their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pond for another month while Mr. Briggs returned this week to his position in Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beckwith of Niles and Mrs. Lillian Jorgenson of Irvington also joined in the reunion.

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OUR READERS WRITE . . .

Mrs. Nell Farrington Myers of Niles, who often contributes poems to The Register, writes this week of Easter Sunday with her husband at Pearl Blossom, on the Mojave desert:

At Pearl Blossom, on Mojave Desert, Calif., April 22, 1946
My dear Mrs. Batman:

Since I promised you I'd send a word picture of my "findings," I am prompted to attempt a start, at least! The desert country is filled with surprises and unless one pauses awhile, or "sits" down for a time, much of interest and beauty will be overlooked. Many trails lead off the main highways. We have had some interesting trips to points of interest shared

by some new friends we've made! More on that later.

I will tell you first about yesterday (and how I miss my typewriter when I start in). We arose from our bed in the darkness of Easter Morn, 4 o'clock to be exact. Our landlady and husband took us with them over to the town of Palm-dale, 17 miles away. There, gathered at the church, was a group of choir singers in their white gowns. Soon a truck, equipped with seats, took them off on the desert, away from the sleeping town!

Other cars followed us, and soon we wended our way upward, among some low hills, a fertile valley lay below us—irrigated—with green alfalfa growing, clumps of trees, a ranch house here and there, a windmill pumping the precious water out over the land.

A coyote slithered across the road and bob-o-links sang among the sage brush.

Soon we were among quite a throng, cars parked along a ravine and in a little cove carved in a mountainside was a tall white cross, a platform and chairs; also chairs arranged in a semi-circle for the congregation! The sun by this time was sending its beacon light out across the desert world, heralding its coming on this Easter Morning. It was exactly 5:30 a.m. We sat among the congregation, waiting. Finally the five ministers took their places and were introduced. Then the chorus. A lady in a white robe with a piano-accordion furnished accompaniment for the singing. It was very impressive and beautiful, quiet, no breeze stirred. There all at once the first rays of the sun streamed from the distant rim far off across the wide expanse, and seemed to touch the tall cross first, then lay its warmth and brightness over the group of worshippers bowing there in the cave, among the colorful mountains of rock and sand, and sky!

The program was arranged and given under the auspices of the "Antelope Valley Ministerial Association. Quartz Hill Easter Sunrise Service! Sunrise 5:30 a.m. Five denominations were represented from Palmdale and Lancaster churches. It was impressive and beautiful! A never-to-be-forgotten Easter Morning! (To be continued.)

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According to Fire Chief Roland Bendel, the ceremony will be of a brief nature, so those who wish to attend should arrive on time. Boy Scouts are expected to participate in the dedication.

Decoto veterans are especially invited to attend.

Visit Son in Long Beach

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Silva of Creek Road, Niles, spent the Easter week-end at Long Beach, visiting with her son, MoM3c Anthony J. Silva, who just arrived from overseas. Before coming home for discharge, he may have to go with his ship to Brooklyn. He had been in Japan for four months.

Word Received from Hawaiian Islands

Mrs. Lyle Buehler has had word from her sister in Hawaii, Mrs. James Youd (Frances Jewell) that she has been compelled to move the family into the home of another sister, Mrs. Frances Heath, who also lives on the islands. Mrs. Youd's home was washed from its foundations in the recent tidal wave, though it was not, fortunately, demolished.

Easter Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brazil and sons, Donald and Davis, of Hayward, were Easter dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Joseph and daughter, Elaine, of Emerson street, Centerville.

Centerville Visitor

Mrs. Mary Martin of San Diego is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mae Pimentel of Oak street, Centerville.

Moving to Niles

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lemos and son, Leon, of San Leandro, are planning to come to Niles soon to make their home.

New acreage planted by grape growers in California during 1945 more than doubled that planted in 1944.

PROBLEM SOLVED 2300 YEARS AGO

Alcoholic beverages were used as a morale builder in the Byzantine armies more than 2300 years ago, according to Dr. Arthur Patch McKinley, professor of Latin emeritus on the Los Angeles campus of the University of California.

He pointed out that the use of beer and cigarettes as a morale builder in World War I and II are sometimes thought of as a modern innovation; in reality, history is merely repeating itself. "While it is true that the Greek general Xenophon, like Hitler, wanted to deny wine to soldiers, an unnamed Byzantine captain 2300 years ago showed himself quite modern in his approach to the problem," Dr. McKinley said.

An empire builder, possibly Philip or Antiochus, was besieging Byzantium, later called Constantinople. It was imperative to maintain a strong force of soldiers on the fall, but the men kept deserting their posts. The captain was resourceful. He had the tavern keepers open up wine shops on the walls. The plan worked; the desertions ceased.

Male fish have larger mouths than female fish.

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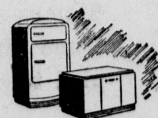
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